Dear Jim, Sciambra 2/5/91

Thanks for the Boxley and Masferrer pages. Bdfore I get into them I'd appreciate knowing whatever you and AARC can tell/ give (for file) me on Greg's shicide. And about any provision for his work. (As you know, I've not done much on the RFK assassination but aside from curiosity I'd like my files to hold a reference for the future)

I'm inclined to agree with State, that the Cuban's would have at the least tried Masferrer because of his many atrocities when he was still there and known as El Tigre.

While Plaine may have had some of the connections he mentions, and his name sounds familiar, I think most of it is bull. Sciambra's memo on his interview would disgrace a freshman law student in anything above a diploma mill. He neither asked nor thought of what is obvious. I therefore assume that he knew what Jim wanted and didn't give a damn about anything else. He was not incompetent or dumb. The opposite. He does not even ask for dates. And some is impossible, like Castro's moving money to Switzerland. Cuba never had a spare penny to move.

It also can't be believed that Plaine had any contact with any CIA agent named of all things, Dulles.

It is just too pat for Ferrie to have visited Plaine. I don't believe it, not at least in the sense used.

The direct and indirect references to Oswald can't be believed and are out of character.

The Fair Play for Cuba committee did not work the way Plaine says and that also can't be believed.

There was no way in which any Cubans could know that Oswald was a terrible shot.

This represents the worst of the Garrison fiasco. And those catering to him.

Boxley gives no basis for connecting the Rothermel in his 9/15/67 memo with the Paul who worked for Hunt. With regard to Otto being his father, Paul was PR II and his son is PR III.

Again, Garrison and his sycophants at their worst, fabricating what they thought or knew he wanted.

You may remember that I broke up one of those fabrications and saved Garrison's ass thereby. Not that you'd know it from his book!

Checking my files, I have one on Plaine, including Archives check, negative.

Thanks, tho, and best. Hope someday you send something worthwhile! !!!

Harold